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Title: F	luorochemical Composition and Method for Treating a Substrate Therewith
This is a Request for Continued F	xamination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
Submission required under 37 amendments enclosed with the I Applicant does not wish to have amendment(s).	CFR § 1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless Applicant instructs otherwise. If any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, Applicant must request non-entry of such d. If a final Office Action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office Action may submission even if this box is not checked. guments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
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4. A Request for Extension of	f Time is being filed concurrently.
	Respectfully submitted,
11/20/2009	/Kenneth B. Wood/
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